

BOB JONES UNIVERSITY

Baccalaureate Service



Rodeheaver Auditorium

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Thirtieth Commencement

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PRELUDE: "Chorale No. 2 in B Minor".....**Franck**

FANFARE AND CHIMES

PROCESSIONAL HYMN....."Bob Jones University Hymn"
(see inside front cover of hymnal)

THE UNIVERSITY CREED:

I believe in the inspiration of the Bible, both the Old and the New Testaments; the creation of man by the direct act of God; the incarnation and virgin birth of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ; His identification as the Son of God; His vicarious atonement for the sins of mankind by the shedding of His blood on the cross; the resurrection of His body from the tomb; His power to save men from sin; the new birth through the regeneration by the Holy Spirit; and the gift of eternal life by the grace of God.

GLORIA PATRI:

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen! Amen!

INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER (chanted)

ANTHEM: "Arise, My Soul".....Van Denman Thompson

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON

OFFERTORY

HYMN

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" (Miles Lane).....Perronet

All hail the power of Jesus' Name!
Let angels prostrate fall;
Bring forth the royal diadem,
And crown Him Lord of all!

Crown Him, ye martyrs of our God,
Who from His altar call:
Praise Him whose way of pain ye trod,
And crown Him Lord of all!

Hail Him, the Heir of David's line,
Whom David Lord did call,
The God incarnate, Man divine,
And crown Him Lord of all!

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,
Ye ransomed of the fall,
Hail Him Who saves you by His grace,
And crown Him Lord of all!

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget
The wormwood and the gall,
Go, spread your trophies at His feet,
And crown Him Lord of all!

Let every kindred, every tribe,
On this terrestrial ball,
To Him all majesty ascribe,
And crown Him Lord of all!

SOLO: "The Voice in the Wilderness".....Scott
James Ryerson

SERMON.....Dr. R. T. Ketcham,
National Representative of General
Association of Regular Baptist Churches,
and Associate Editor, THE BAPTIST BULLETIN.

RECESSIONAL HYMN: "The Sands of Time" ____ Anne R. Cousin
Samuel Rutherford

1

The sands of time are sinking,
The dawn of heaven breaks,
The summer morn I've sighed for,
The fair, sweet morn awakes.
Dark, dark hath been the midnight,
But dayspring is at hand,
And glory, glory dwelleth
In Immanuel's Land!

2

The King there in His beauty,
Without a veil, is seen;
"It were a well-spent journey,
Though seven deaths lay between!"
The Lamb, with His fair army,
Doth on Mount Zion stand;
And glory, glory dwelleth
In Immanuel's Land!

3

O Christ! He is the fountain,
The deep sweet well of love,
The streams on earth I've tasted,
More deep I'll drink above.
There to an ocean's fulness
His mercy doth expand;
And glory, glory dwelleth
In Immanuel's Land!

4

I'll fall asleep in Jesus
Filled with His likeness rise
To live and to adore Him,
To see Him with these eyes.
The King of kings in Zion
My presence doth command,
Where glory, glory dwelleth
In Immanuel's Land!

5

I have borne scorn and hatred,
I have borne wrong and shame,
Earth's proud ones have re-
proached me
For Christ's thrice blessed name.
Where God's seals set the fairest,
They've stamped their foulest brand;
But judgment shines like noonday
In Immanuel's Land!

6

With mercy and with judgment
My web of time He wove;
And aye the dews of sorrow
Were lustered with His love,
I'll bless the hand that guided,
I'll bless the heart that planned,
When throned where glory dwelleth,
In Immanuel's Land!

7

Oh, I am my Beloved's,
And my Beloved's mine!
He brings a poor vile sinner
Into His "house of wine."
I stand upon His merit,
I know no other stand,
Not e'en where glory dwelleth
In Immanuel's Land!

8

The bride eyes not her garments,
But her dear Bridegroom's face;
I will not gaze at glory,
But at my King of grace!
Not at the crown He giveth,
But on His pierced hand;
The Lamb is all the glory
Of Immanuel's Land!

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: "Hymne d'action de graces 'Te Deum' " ____ Langlais